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Sir:

Enclosed are copies of publications the subject matters of which are mentioned in the International Search Report for the Examiner's review:

1. "Method of Controlling Aquatic Vegetation", December 1981, also referred to as XP 001022458;
2. DATABASE WPI, Section Ch, Week 199330, Class C02,

AN 1993-239884, June 1993, also referred to as XP 002182896;

3. WO 93/25074, published December 23, 1993;

4. WO 98/49894, published November 12, 1998;

5. S. Matsumoto et al, "Effect of Humectants on Pesticide Uptake Through Plant Leaf Surfaces", *Adjuvants for Agrochemicals*, 1992, also referred to as XP 001022459;

6. Cook et al, "Uptake of Aminotriazole from Humectant-Surfactant Combinations and the Influence of Humidity", 1978, also referred to as XP 001022485;

7. DE 36 36 994, published May 7, 1987;

8. EP 0 402 770 published December 19, 1990;

9. WO 96/00010 published January 4, 1996;

10. WO 95/02327 published January 26, 1995;

11. WO 89/12394 published December 28, 1989.

We have enclosed a copy of the International Search Report as well as Form PTO 1449 in duplicate which is considered part of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

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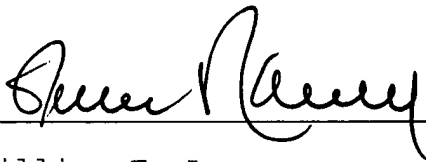
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